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1. PER REF A, WE HAVE TALKED WITH FRENCH DCM JESSEL, UK
NADREP KNIGHT, AND ITALIAN NADREP/IEPG AHG CHAIRMAN CAMPANA.

- A. JESSEL NOTED OUR POINTS SYMPATHETICALLY AND PASSED
THEM TO PARIS WHICH HAS NOT YET RESPONDED.
- B. UK NADREP ONCE AGAIN CONFIRMED THAT THE FRENCH
ARE THE HOLDOUTS FOR BROADENING THE OBSTACLES DISCUSSION.
- C. ON 17 JAN, CAMPANA MADE THE FOLLOWING POINTS:
 - (1) ALL MEMBERS OF THE IEPG AHG EXCEPT FRANCE
FAVOR BROADENING POINT ONE TO PERMIT A DIALOGUE.
 - (2) MAININI IS EXPECTED TO RESPOND TO THE US
LETTER WITHIN THE WEEK. CAMPANA BELIEVES THERE IS VIRTUAL-
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LY NO POSSIBILITY THAT MAININI'S LETTER WILL ADDRESS
BROADENING THE DIALOGUE. INSTEAD, HE EXPECTS THE LETTER
MERELY TO ASK THE US TO CLARIFY PORTIONS OF THE US RESPONSE
(REF C) AND GIVE DETAILED VIEWS ON THE 4 POINT IEPG PRO-
POSAL. CAMPANA HOPES THE US AND CANADA CAN RESPOND IN
TIME FOR THE IEPG AHG TO CONSIDER THE RESPONSE AT THEIR
17 FEB MEETING.

2. WE WILL PROVIDE MISSION VIEWS AS APPROPRIATE UPON
RECEIPT OF ADM MAININI'S LETTER. US NADREP HARVILL WILL
BE IN WASHINGTON NEXT WEEK TO DISCUSS TAD STRATEGY FOR
COMING WEEKS. GLITMAN

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